

Brenham City Council Minutes

A special meeting of the Brenham City Council was held on Tuesday, May 13, 2025 beginning at 9:00 AM in the Brenham City Hall, City Council Chambers, at 200 W. Vulcan Street, Brenham, Texas.

Members Present:

Mayor Atwood Kenjura
Mayor Pro Tem Clint Kolby
Councilmember Leah Cook
Councilmember Paul LaRoche
Councilmember Albert Wright
Councilmember Shannan Canales

Members Absent:

Councilmember Adonna Saunders

City of Brenham Staff Present:

City Manager Carolyn Miller, City Secretary/Director of Administrative Services Jeana Bellinger, General Manager of Public Utilities William Bissette, Chief Financial Officer Julie Flagg, Development Services Director Stephanie Doland, Economic & Community Development Director Teresa Rosales, Robin Hutchens, Leigh Linden, and Kim Hodde.

Citizens/Others Present:

None

Media Present:

None

- 1. Call Meeting to Order**
- 2. Invocation and Pledges to the US and Texas Flags - Councilmember Albert Wright**

REGULAR SESSION

- 3. Discuss and Possibly Act Upon Resolution No. R-25-015 Canvassing the Returns and Declaring the Results of the General Election Held on May 3, 2025 for Purpose of Electing One Councilmember for Place 1 - Ward 1; One Councilmember for Place 3 - Ward 3; One Councilmember for Place 5 - At Large; and One Councilmember for Place 6 - At Large to the City Council of**

the City of Brenham, Texas Each for a Four-Year Term

City Secretary/Director of Administrative Services Jeana Bellinger presented this item. Bellinger stated that as required by law, the results of the City of Brenham's 2025 General Election must be canvassed by the City Council and the results approved via Resolution.

Bellinger stated that the following persons have been duly elected to serve four (4) year terms ending in May 2029:

- Place 1 - Ward 1: Steve Soman
- Place 3 - Ward 3: Paul F. LaRoche, III
- Place 5 - At Large: Clint T. Kolby
- Place 6 - At Large: Leah Cook

A motion was made by Councilmember Canales and seconded by Councilmember Wright to approve Resolution No. R-25-015 canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the General Election held on May 3, 2025 for purpose of electing one Councilmember for Place 1 - Ward 1; one Councilmember for Place 3 - Ward 3; one Councilmember for Place 5 - At Large; and one Councilmember for Place 6 - At Large to the City Council of the City of Brenham, Texas each for a four-year term.

Mayor Kenjura called for a vote. The motion passed with Council voting as follows:

Yes: Mayor Kenjura, Mayor Pro Tem Kolby, Councilmember Canales, Councilmember Cook, Councilmember LaRoche, Councilmember Wright

No: None

Absent: Councilmember Saunders

4. Discuss and Possibly Act Upon Resolution No. R-25-016 Canvassing the Returns and Declaring the Results for the Special Election Held on May 3, 2025 at Which Were Submitted Twelve Proposed Amendments to the City of Brenham's Home Rule Charter

City Secretary/Director of Administrative Services Jeana Bellinger presented this item. Bellinger stated that as required by law, this item is to canvass the returns and declare the results of the Special Election held on May 3, 2025. Bellinger advised that the Special Election was for the purpose of submitting twelve (12) proposed amendments to the City's Home Rule Charter. Bellinger stated that the results of the Special Election indicate that all twelve (12) propositions were approved by the voters.

A motion was made by Councilmember Canales and seconded by Councilmember Cook to approve Resolution No. R-25-016 canvassing the returns and declaring the results for the Special Election held on May 3, 2025 at which were submitted twelve proposed amendments to the City of Brenham's Home Rule Charter.

Mayor Kenjura called for a vote. The motion passed with Council voting as follows:

Yes: Mayor Kenjura, Mayor Pro Tem Kolby, Councilmember Canales, Councilmember Cook, Councilmember LaRoche, Councilmember Wright

No: None

Absent: Councilmember Saunders

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Atwood C. Kenjura

Mayor



Robin Hutchens

Deputy City Secretary